

# CALL FOR APPLICATIONS

## 2018 POD DIVERSITY COMMITTEE

### EDUCATIONAL DEVELOPMENT

### INTERNSHIP PROGRAM

## WHAT IS IT?

The Professional and Organizational Development Network in Higher Education (POD) Diversity Committee enthusiastically invites proposals for the 2018 Educational Development Internship Program. The purpose of this grant is to provide one or more POD member institutions with funding up to \$5,200 in order to support an internship position related to educational development in higher education. The internship is meant to provide an individual with a broad introduction to the field of educational development (here used as an umbrella term to encompass what may also be called faculty development, TA development, instructional development, organizational development, etc.)

## WHY THE INTERNSHIP PROGRAM?

The goals of the Internship Program:

1) To provide a person from a historically underrepresented racial and/or ethnic group (as defined within the U.S. context) with career exploration opportunities in educational development.

2) To support the intern's attendance at the 2018 POD Conference.

## WHAT ARE THE APPLICATION CRITERIA?

Each application will be evaluated by members of the Diversity Committee based on four criteria: 1) explanation of interest and experience in instructional/faculty development, 2) explanation of how the applicant would benefit from attending the conference and/or how they hope or intend to share these benefits with others at their institution, 3) explanation of how POD might benefit from applicant attendance and membership and how they hope to contribute to the Diversity Committee and POD organization as a whole, and 4) clear explanation of their financial need and/or institutional support, if any.

View an example [Internship Proposal](#)

### HOW TO APPLY

Complete and submit the application by  
June 1, 2018.

Application and instructions are available at  
<https://tinyurl.com/ydxexcbh>



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